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Serial No. : 10/811,920 Examiner : Mike Qi
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Title : DISPLAY DEVICE HAVING CONDUCTIVE LAYER THAT EXTENDS
ALONG SIDE EDGE (AS AMENDED)

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicants request consideration of the references listed on the attached PTO-1449 form.

Reference “AQ” is related to the ongoing litigation between the applicant in the subject application, Semiconductor Energy Laboratory Co., Ltd. (“SEL”) and Chi Mei Optoelectronics Corp. (“CMO”), International Display Technology Co., Ltd. (“IDTech”), International Display Technology USA, Inc. (“IDTechUSA”), Westinghouse Digital Electronics, LLC (“Westinghouse”), and CTX Technology Corp (“CTX”). In accordance with the provisions of MPEP 2001.06(c) and 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, applicant has already provided notice of this litigation, which is ongoing under Case No. C 04 4675 MHP before the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, San Francisco Division.

Reference “AO” is a copy of the court’s *Memorandum & Order re: Claim Construction*.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner carefully review this information and return an initialed copy of the attached PTO Form 1449 to the undersigned evidencing such consideration.

With regard to reference “AQ,” applicant makes no representations herein regarding the materiality of the document. Applicant is merely making this document available to the Patent Office as a result of the contentions of the parties in the referenced litigation.

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	AO	JP07-092477	07 APR 1995	JAPAN			Abstract
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	AQ	Memorandum & Order re: Claim Construction, Semiconductor Energy Laboratory Co., Ltd., Plaintiff vs. Chi Mei Optoelectronics Corp., et al., Defendants, No. C04-04675 MHP, dated March 24, 2006, 41 pages.
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